

REMARKS

Claims 1-5 and 8 have been amended herein to more definitely define the invention and obviate the objections and rejection. The present amendment is deemed not to add new matter. Claims 1-5 and 8 remain in the application.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested of the objection to the title as not being descriptive. As shown above, the title has been amended herein as suggested by the Examiner. Accordingly, it is believed that the title is not descriptive. Withdrawal of the objection is accordingly respectfully requested.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested of the objections to claims 1, 5 and 8. Claims 1, 5 and 8 have been amended herein to place a hyphen between “group” and “containing”. In view of same, it is believed that the objection is now moot. Withdrawal of the objection is accordingly respectfully requested.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested of the rejection of claims 1-5 and 8 under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

Claims 1, 5 and 8 have been rewritten in the manner suggested by the Examiner on pages 3-5 of the instant Office Action. It is believed that, in view of these amendments, claims 1, 5 and 8 are now definite and enable one to readily ascertain the nexus between the compound of formula (1) and the compound of formula (2). Withdrawal of the rejection is accordingly respectfully

requested.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that said objections and rejection have been overcome by the amendments presented above, and that the application is now in condition for allowance. Early action and allowance thereof is accordingly respectfully requested. In the event there is any reason why the application cannot be allowed at the present time, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner contact the undersigned at the number listed below to resolve any problems.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Donald E. Townsend, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

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